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SUB: CDES: ROBERT H. VERLO

FOR: MR. HOWARD VERLO

ROUTE 17, BOX 693

MOUND, MINNESOTA 55364

I DEEPLY REGRET TO INFORM YOU OF THE DEATH OF YOUR SON, ROBERT H. VERLO. MR. VERLO DIED AT HIS APARTMENT, 142/9 YEN DO ST., SAIGON, VIET NAM, AT APPROXIMATELY 5 A.M., JULY 24, 1973, OF UNKNOWN CAUSES. REMAINS ARE AT SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST HOSPITAL, SAIGON, VIETNAM.

SUBJECT SELF-EMPLOYED IN VIET NAM. PLEASE TELEGRAPH PROMPTLY DISPOSITION INSUTRCTIONS. INCLUDE NAME OF DECEASED YOUR REPLY AND NAME AND ADDRESS FUNERAL HOME IN UNITED STATES IF SHIPMENT DESIRED. UNABLE LOCATE ANY AVAILABLE FUNDS HERE SO FAR FOR SHIPMENT. THE FOLLOWING ESTIMATES ARE PROVIDED FOR YOUR INFORMATION AND PLANNING. PREPARATION AND RETURN TO OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, BY AIR DOLLARS 750. ESTIMATED COST BURIAL AT SAIGON, VIET NAM, DOLLARS 450. CREMATION AND LOCAL BURIAL DOLLARS 300. CREMATION AND AIR SHIPMENT TO UNITED STATES DOLLARS 125. A TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO THE AMERICAN EMBASSY, SAIGON, VIET NAM, SHOULD BE MADE BY YOUR LOCAL BANK THROUGH EITHER THE CHASE MANHATTAN BANK OR THE BANK OF AMERICA, BOTH OF WHICH HAVE BRANCHES IN SAIGON. PLEASE ACCEPT MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT. MARTIN

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